Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Environment and Forestry

Assembly Bill 11

Relating to: the newspaper recycling fee and the recycled content of newsprint used in newspapers.

By Representatives Czaja, Novak, Ballweg, Bernier, Jarchow, Kleefisch, Knodl, Knudson, Macco, Mursau, Murtha, A. Ott, Sanfelippo, Skowronski, Steffen and Thiesfeldt; cosponsored by Senators Harsdorf, Gudex, LeMahieu, Tiffany, Marklein, Lasee, Olsen and Bewley.

January 27, 2015 Referred to Committee on Environment and Forestry

February 03, 2015 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (12) Representative Mursau; Representatives Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, R. Brooks, Allen, Mason, Milroy, Hebl, Stuck and Considine.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Krug.

Appearances For

- Rep. Mary Czaja 35th Assembly District
- Rep. Todd Novak 51st Assembly District
- Sen. Sheila Harsdorf 10th Senate District
- Beth Bennett Wisconsin Newspaper Association

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

 Brad Wolbert - Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Registrations For

• Scott Suder - Wisconsin Paper Council

Registrations Against

None.

Registrations for Information Only

None.

February 10, 2015 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (11) Representative Mursau; Representatives Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, R. Brooks,

Allen, Mason, Hebl, Stuck and Considine.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Krug and Milroy.

Moved by Representative Czaja, seconded by Representative Edming that **Assembly Bill 11** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Representative Mursau; Representatives Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, R. Brooks and Allen.

Noes: (5) Representatives Mason, Milroy, Hebl, Stuck

and Considine.

Absent: (1) Representative Krug.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 5

Cory Bruce Committee Clerk